

## IUCN AEL 2021 Groningen

### General programme – final

Date ⇒ Time (Amsterdam) ↓	Mo 28 June	Tue 29 June	Wed 30 June	Thu 1 July	Fri 2 July
19:00 NZST					Wine tasting AU/NZ
11-12:30 CEST	Parallel Sessions 1	Parallel Sessions 3	Parallel Sessions 6	Parallel Sessions 8	Parallel Sessions 11
14-15:30 CEST	<b>Plenary Session</b>	Parallel Sessions 4	<b>Plenary Session</b>	Parallel Sessions 9	Parallel Sessions 12
16-17:30 CEST	Parallel Sessions 2	Parallel Sessions 5	Parallel Sessions 7	Parallel Sessions 10	<b>Plenary Session</b>
19:00 CEST 19:00 ETD				Wine tasting (EU and US/Canada)	

#### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021

##### Parallel Session 1 11:00-12:30

[Track 1](#) Climate change litigation 1

[Track 2](#) Environmental Crimes and enforcement 1

[Track 3](#) Human Rights and Environment 1

[Track 4](#) Energy generation and finance

[Track 5](#) Water and governance 1

##### [Plenary Session](#) 14:00-15:30

Welcoming address by Kars De Graaf and Stefan Weishaar (Conference hosts) and Rose-Liza Eisma-Osorio (University of Cebu) and Antonio Benjamin (Catholic University of Brasília)

**Marjan Peeters** (Maastricht University and Wuhan University)

‘Taking stock of global climate law’

**Jonathan Verschuuren** (Tilburg Law School and North West University)

‘Achieving food security under climate change: regulatory challenges ahead!’

**Marleen van Rijswijk** (Utrecht University)

‘Taking stock and achieving high ambitions in water law: dealing with legal, ecological and political obstacles along a long and winding road’

**Parallel Session 2 16:00-17:30**

- [Track 1](#) Climate change litigation 2
- [Track 2](#) Environmental Crimes and enforcement 2
- [Track 3](#) Human Rights and Environment 2
- [Track 4](#) Energy efficiency
- [Track 5](#) Water and governance 2
- [Track 6](#) Education and sustainability

**Tuesday 29th 2021**

**Parallel Session 3 11:00-12:30**

- [Track 1](#) Climate justice
- [Track 2](#) Environmental Change 2050: reimagining the future
- [Track 3](#) International Environmental law 1
- [Track 4](#) Coal and transition
- [Track 5](#) Nature protection and ecological governance 1

**Parallel Session 4 14:00-15:30**

- [Track 1](#) Climate law and governance
- [Track 2](#) Environment and governance 1
- [Track 3](#) International Environmental law 2
- [Track 4](#) Circular economy 1
- [Track 5](#) Nature protection and ecological governance 2

**Parallel Session 5 16:00-17:30**

- [Track 1](#) Climate change and Human Rights
- [Track 2](#) Environment and governance 2
- [Track 4](#) Circular economy 2
- [Track 5](#) Fishing
- [Track 6](#) Land use

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> 2021**

**Parallel Session 6 11:00-12:30**

- [Track 1](#) Climate change litigation 3
- [Track 2](#) Environmental litigation 1
- [Track 3](#) Environmental Impact Assessment
- [Track 4](#) Green financial instruments
- [Track 5](#) Challenges of the anthropocene epoch
- [Track 6](#) Ecological restoration and Forestry

**[Plenary Session](#) 14:00-15:30**

**Martha Roggenkamp** (University of Groningen)

‘Carbon Capture and Storage, its ambition and reality’

**Janet E. Milne** (Vermont Law School)

'The role of environmental taxation: Arthur Cecil Pigou at 100'

**Michael G. Faure** (presenter) (University of Maastricht and University of Rotterdam), **Elbert de Jong** (University of Utrecht) 'The urgent need to change the instrument mix'

**Parallel Session 7 16:00-17:30**

[Track 1](#) Climate change and the law 1

[Track 2](#) Environmental litigation 2

[Track 3](#) Sustainability and law 1

[Track 4](#) Environmental taxation

[Track 5](#) Plastic Pollution

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2021**

**Parallel Session 8 11:00-12:30**

[Track 1](#) Climate change and the law 2

[Track 2](#) Environmental Justice 1

[Track 3](#) Environmental monitoring and accounting

[Track 4](#) Energy and sustainability

[Track 5](#) Wildlife 1

[Track 6](#) Biodiversity

**Parallel Session 9 14:00-15:30**

[Track 1](#) Agriculture and Climate

[Track 2](#) Environmental Justice 2

[Track 3](#) Sustainability and law 2

[Track 4](#) Energy transition

[Track 5](#) Wildlife 2

[Track 6](#) Waste and management

**Parallel Session 10 16:00-17:30**

[Track 1](#) Paris Agreement and the climate crisis

[Track 2](#) Environmental Challenges and sustainability 1

[Track 3](#) Human Rights and Justice

[Track 4](#) Renewable energy 1

[Track 5](#) Machine learning, licensing and transition

[Track 6](#) USMCA - Trade and MEA agreements

[Wine tasting](#) EU: 19:00 CEST

[Wine tasting](#) US/Canada: Thursday 19:00 ET (1 AM CEST Friday)

[Wine tasting](#) AU/NZ: Friday 19:00 NZST (9 AM CEST Friday)

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021**

**Parallel Session 11 11:00-12:30**

[Track 1](#) Climate adaptation

[Track 2](#) Environmental Challenges and sustainability 2

[Track 3](#) Air pollution

[Track 4](#) Renewable energy 2

[Track 5](#) Water and the Law 1

### **Parallel Session 12 14:00-15:30**

[Track 1](#) Agriculture and Sustainability

[Track 2](#) Environmental damage and liability

[Track 3](#) Human Rights, Climate and Energy

[Track 4](#) Energy, democracy and Public participation

[Track 5](#) Water and the Law 2

### **Plenary Session 16:00 – 17:30**

Taking stock and closing remarks

Rose-Liza Eisma-Osorio (University of Cebu)

IUCN WCEL: Christina Voigt (University of Oslo)

Amanda Kennedy (Queensland University of Technology)

### **Presentation details**

Presentations are 15 minutes plus Q&A time.

For each session the presenter with the lowest abstract number is the moderator and presents last (so as to ensure effective time-keeping).

### **Explore Groningen and meet participants**

Meeting place: [Groningen Academy Building Square](#)

[Campus Tour City Centre - YouTube](#)

[Historic tram ride](#) (Groningen in 1919)

[Groningen in 1967 - YouTube](#)

[Festivals and Nightlife in Groningen - YouTube](#)

[Welkom in de Werelderfgoed Waddenzee - YouTube](#)

[Waddenzee \(a short introduction\)](#)

[Enjoy the Unesco world heritage](#) (relax at the Waddenzee)